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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

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FOR:	LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

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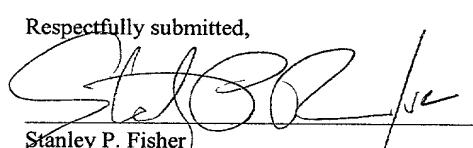
- 13 sheets of formal informal drawings.
- A Notice of Priority transmitting Japanese application 2000-130649 to claim priority date of April 28, 2000.
- An assignment of the invention to Hitachi, Ltd. and Hitachi Device Engineering Co., Ltd.
- Applicant requests non-publication.
- Applicant is a small entity.
- An Executed Declaration

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